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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**



Applicant(s) : Heinrich GERS-BARLAG; Anja MÜLLER  
For : EMULSIFIER-FREE FINELY DISPERSE SYSTEMS OF THE  
WATER-IN-OIL TYPE

- Division of -

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Hon. Assistant Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.56 and § 1.97(b), Applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the references listed on the accompanying form PTO-1449, copies of which were provided with the parent application.

These references are relevant because they were cited during the prosecution of the parent application.

It is believed that no fee is due, but if it is, please charge the amount to  
Applicants' Deposit Account No. 14-1263.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this application is respectfully  
requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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